

**COMBINED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
 (includes Reference to PCT International Applications)

Attorney's docket No.

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

A DEVICE FOR CLEANING THE TEATS OF AN ANIMAL AND A MILKING STALL INCLUDING THE DEVICE

the specification of which (check only one item below):

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☐ was filed as United States application.  
 Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 on \_\_\_\_\_  
 and was amended  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).
- ☒ was filed as PCT international application  
 Number PCT/SE03/00853  
 on 26 May 2003  
 and was amended under PCT Article 19  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

**PRIOR FOREIGN/PCT APPLICATION(S) AND ANY PRIORITY CLAIMS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119:**

COUNTRY (if PCT indicate PCT)	APPLICATION NO.	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119
Sweden	0201596-4	29 May 2002	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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Dear Sir:

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The Owner of the entire right, title, and interest in the above-referenced application is DeLaval Holding AB (hereinafter "Assignee"), a corporation of SWEDEN, with its principal place of business at Box-39, S-147 21, Tumba, SWEDEN. The undersigned, Hans Holmgren, has the authority to sign on behalf of Assignee.

An assignment of the above-referenced application from the inventors, JOHNSSON, Erik; ULLNERT, Peter; and PETTERSON, Torbjörn to Assignee is attached hereto.

Assignee hereby appoints the attorneys of Hovey Williams LLP, associated with

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